

Telecommunications Equipment Installers and Repairers, Except Line Installers (49-2022)

Occupation description: Install, set-up, rearrange, or remove switching, distribution, routing, and dialing equipment used in central offices or headends. Service or repair telephone, cable television, Internet, and other communications equipment on customers' property. May install communications equipment or communications wiring in buildings. Excludes "Telecommunications Line Installers and Repairers" (49-9052).

Employment and Job Openings

	Average employment			Average annual openings		
	2010 estimate	2020 projection	Percent change	Growth	Replacement	Total
Alaska	726	782	7.7	6	11	17
United States	194,900	223,300	14.6	2,840	3,090	5,930

Job outlook

Alaska: Alaska's employment growth is low with high employment opportunities. [Read more.](#)

2013 Wages

	Mean Wage and 95% Confidence Interval			Wage by Percentile		
	Low	Mean	High	10th	Median	90th
United States	n/a	25.98	n/a	14.77	26.32	36.39
Alaska	27.18	30.27	33.36	16.72	31.72	43.68
Anchorage/Mat-Su Area (MSA)	25.23	30.06	34.89	16.69	31.46	43.39
Southeast Region	22.83	27.79	32.75	16.45	25.56	43.24
Balance of State	25.09	31.75	38.41	16.70	33.92	45.20

Labor Force Indicators

2012 Worker Characteristics

Total workers	Nonresident workers	Percent nonresident	Percent age 45 plus	Percent age 50 plus
879	77	8.8	51.9	39.7

2012 Potential Supply

Qualified but working in another occupation	99
Currently employed in a lower paid occupation	37
UI claimants previously working in occupation	62

2012 ALEXsys Employment Data

Number of registrants	366
Number of job position postings	76

Ratio of registrants to job position postings	4.8
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Typical Entry-level Education, Experience, and/or On-the-job Training

Education: Postsecondary non-degree award

Work experience: None

On-the-job training: Moderate-term on-the-job training

Training Resources

	Degree
Alaska Joint Electrical Apprenticeship and Training Trust	
Telephone, Anchorage	Certificate
Telephone, Fairbanks	

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